

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)

IFW
Docket No.
1388

In Re Application Of: **James R. Bowers**

DEC 13 2004

Application No.

10/769,697

Filing Date

02/02/2004

Examiner

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Confirmation No.

8603

Invention: **Manual Purge System for Instrumentation Flow Element Tubing**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 07/13/2004 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☒ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: 10/13/2004

Date

until:

12/13/2004

Date

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

The fee for the extension of time is **\$215** and is to be paid as follows:

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **07-2380**

☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **07-2380**

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

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Dated: **December 8, 2004**

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